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FM AMEMBASSY MOSCOW

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 536

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E.O. 11652: N/A

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SUBJECT: PERSONNEL

REF: STATE 044675, MOSCOW 1737

1. ALTHOUGH THE EMBASSY HAD HEARD INFORMALLY THAT THE COMMERCE OFFICE SECRETARIAL POSITION (20 9010 513) MIGHT BE ABOLISHED, WE HAVE NEVER RECEIVED OFFICIAL NOTIFICATION OF SUCH ACTION. SINCE THE POSITION IS STILL CARRIED ON THE POST'S STAFFING PATTERNS, WE DID NOT REQUEST ITS RE-ESTABLISHMENT IN MOSCOW'S 1737.

2. IN VIEW OF STATE 044675, WE AMEND PARA 3 OF MOSCOW'S 1737 SO AS TO READ: "FOR FY-77 THE EMBASSY REQUESTS THE FOLLOWING STATE POSITIONS:

POSITION	STATUS
1. POL OFFICER (MULTI-LATERAL AFFAIRS)	PENDING
2. ASSISTANT GSO	ESTABLISHED
3. ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT	PENDING
4. SECRETARY (COMMERCE OFFICE)	NEW REQUEST
5. ECON SECRETARY	DEFER TO FY-78
6. SCI SECRETARY	DEFER TO FY-78

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7. ASSISTANT SY OFFICER

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(" REQUEST WILL BE WITHDRAWN, IF A FULL TIME SECURITY OFFICER IS ASSIGNED TO KIEV).

3. BECAUSE OF OTHER DEVELOPMENTS (THE UNPLANNED ASSIGNMENT OF A MEDICAL TECHNICIAN THE LOSS OF TWO WORKING COUPLES AND THE FAILURE OF SOVIET AUTHORITIES TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL REQUESTED HOUSING), WE CANNOT PROVIDE HOUSING FOR THIS POSITION BEFORE FY-77. INDEED AT THIS POINT WE ARE UNABLE TO PREDICT WHEN IN FY-77 HOUSING MAY BECOME AVAILABLE FOR THIS POSITION.

4. HOPEFULLY THIS CABLE CLEAR UP ANY LINGERING MISUNDERSTANDING ABOUT THIS POSITION.

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